

# TOSSUP 08



*(Another TimeWarp? No...not really, anyway. Chuck's somewhat better but this month his house is being 'improved' — Martin)*

## Club Meeting Minutes — November 2008 Meeting

Meeting began at 7:30PM

Members in attendance:

Charles Babcock, Bill Bertram, Gary Filice, Steve Miele, Don Northern, Jim Pendergrass, Mike Regan, Mike Stern, Bob Sw et

- Welcome to the 10<sup>th</sup> TOSS meeting of 2008
- Current Treasury Balance is \$1077.74.
- There are thirty seven paid up TOSS members.

Carlos' w inch motor is having a problem, possibly w ith the brushes. It gets hot and seems to go at tw o speeds.

Jim Pendergrass has a motor that needs to be rebuilt.

Gary w ill investigate a supplier for bushings and brushes for rebuilding the motors.

Bill has some flying site updates:

Thousand Oaks, Bill met w ith a few city council members, Jacqui lrwin seems to be w illing to guide us on how to convince "The City" to allow us to use the land near hill canyon.

Smith Hill has been gated off at the property line of the Parminter Estates H.O.A. and COSCA land, approximately 50 yards up the road from Lone Oak Drive. Consequentially w e can't drive up but w e can still w alk up and fly. Bill, Steve and Gary w ill meet w ith the HOA at their next meeting to discuss use of the hill.

Yearly dues renew al is coming up; as w ell as election of all club officers. Gary w ants the membership to take the reins regarding suggestions for positions and the search for interested people.

Do w e w ant to have another Easy Glider competition? Mike Regan w as the CD for the last tw o successful events.

Do we want to continue the monthly competitions?

There seems to be a goodly number of members interested in hand launch. Is there any interest in having a hand launch clinic and club competition. Lex has coordinated these activities and events in the past, maybe he can be convinced to do it again.

It's time for new TOSS shirts; Jim took inventory of the stock on hand and there are a few left. He will look at the last order, placed through the AMA and the costs involved.

There will not be a December meeting.

Happy Holidays to all!

## Club Officers 2009

Once again its that time of the year when we're looking for volunteers (nominations) for Club Officer positions. Steve Miele asked me to cut the information and form from last year's new sletter and is asking that people fill in some suggested names and get the forms back to him for January's meeting. Here is a reprint of the officer's duties from last year's new sletter.

**President:** The chief administrator of the club, the person who sets the direction of the organization, generally conducts the monthly meetings and represents TOSS at outside functions.

**Vice-President:** Administrative assistant and the person who stands in for the President when the President is unable to conduct business.

**Secretary:** The person who takes the minutes at the monthly meetings and forwards them to the new sletter editor for publication.

**Treasurer:** The person who takes in and pays out club funds. The Treasurer reports the current monthly balance at each club meeting.

**Field Safety Officer:** This person must know the general AMA safety rules for conducting flight activities at any chartered AMA flight site. He or she

enforces the rules during weekend flying and ensures that on contest days the field is laid out properly.

**Competititon Coordinator / Club Contest Director:** This person (or persons) are certified AMA CDs. They follow up on who will be the CD for TOSS club contests, coordinates contest formats and notifies TOSS members of upcoming contest activities such as (SC)2, BUBW, regional and postal contest and so on. They take care of filing contest sanctioning paperwork for AMA sanctioned contests.

**Historian:** Collects, collates and stores photos and other club information. Typically in the past this material has been held in a scrapbook but the website has a secondary site which contains material covering the last decade or two of club activities.

**Photographer:** A person with the equipment and expertise to be able to record field and competition activities. This person also collects material from other club members. they provide material for the New sletter Editor and the Historian.

**New sletter Editor / Webmaster:** These are typically two jobs that are currently being done by two people. The new sletter is now only published electronically and the website's primary purpose is to host the new sletter.

## Nominations for Club Officers — 2009

**President:**

**Vice President:**

**Treasurer:**

**Secretary:**

**Field Safety Officer:**

**Competition Coordinator:**

**Historian:**

**Photographer:**

**Newsletter Editor:**

**Webmaster:**

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## Winch Schedule



### Nov. ,Dec. 08 & Jan. 09

Nov.	30	Gary F.
Dec.	7	Jim P.
	14	Don N.
	21	Carlos C.
	28	Don N.
Jan.	4	Richard M.
	11	Jim P.
	18	Gary F. / Carlos C.
	25	Don N.

#### Available Winches

Gary Filice	805 529-7534
Don Northern	805 523-1018
Jim Pendergrass	805 386-2653
Carlos Carbajal	805 498-7161
Richard Mason	805 985-3686

If you are unable to do your scheduled day, please trade with someone else on the list.

Winch Scheduler: Jim Pendergrass 805 386-7090

11-25-08

### **For sale**

Futaba 7CH CAP (72MHZ, PCM, synthesized)  
 Four, 3151 digital servos, 7 channel Receiver. Brand New, Never Used, \$200  
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